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8TH DISTRICT LOCAL NOTICE TO MARINERS MISSISSIPPI RIVER SYSTEM WEEKLY SUPPLEMENT

Western Rivers
LIGHT LIST VOLUME V
NOTICE NUMBER 17-00
April 25, 2000

The Local Notice to Mariners consists of a Monthly Edition and Weekly Supplements. The Monthly Edition is published the first week of each month, and Weekly Supplemental Editions are published in the intervening weeks. Weekly Supplemental Editions contain only new information; however, ongoing events/conditions published in Weekly Supplements are re-advertised in the following Monthly Edition. Chart and light list corrections printed in the Weekly Supplemental Editions are not repeated in Monthly Editions.

The Current Monthly Edition is Notice Number 14-00.

LIGHT LIST REFERENCE: COMDTPUB P16502.4, Vol. V, 1998 Edition.

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NIS WATCHSTANDER PHONE	(703) 313-5900 24 HOURS A DAY
INTERNET ADDRESSES	HTTP://www.navcen.uscg.mil OR FTP://ftp.navcen.uscg.mil
ZERO NOTICE INTERNET ADDRESS	HTTP://www.navcen.uscg.mil/lnm/d8mrs
WESTERN RIVERS LNM VIA INTERNET	www.navcen.uscg.mil/lnm/d8wr/default.htm OR FTP://ftp.navcen.uscg.mil/lnm/d8wr/default.htm

BROADCAST NOTICE TO MARINERS COVERED IN THIS EDITION

ORIGINATING UNITS	BEGINNING BNMS	THROUGH	ENDING BNMS
GROUP UPPER MISSISSIPPI RIVER	0164-00 (UM)		0171-00 (UM)
GROUP LOWER MISSISSIPPI RIVER	0285-00 (LM)		0292-00 (LM)
GROUP OHIO VALLEY	0255-00 (OV)		0273-00 (OV)

SPECIAL NOTICES

HARTSVILLE, TENNESSEE - NDGPS	Off air time has been approved for Hartsville, Tennessee, National Differential Global Positioning System (NDGPS) site for scheduled preventive maintenance and repairs from 1400Z to 1800Z on May 3, 2000. (16-00)
CUMBERLAND AND TENNESSEE RIVER CHARTS AVAILABLE	The Cumberland and Tennessee River charts are available for purchase. Charts may be obtained in person from the Map Section, Room 670, on the sixth floor of the Estes Kefauver Building, 9 th and Broadway, Nashville, Tennessee or by mail. Make check or money order payable to FAO, U.S. Army Engineer Division, Lakes and Rivers and mail to: U.S. Army Corps of Engineers ATTN: MAP SECTION P. O. Box 1070 Nashville, TN 37202-1070 Charts may also be order by telephone at (615) 736-7864. The Cumberland River Charts are \$8.00 each and Tennessee River Charts are \$12.00 each. Shipping charges must be included for each order. (17-00/COE)

DISCREPANCIES AND DISCREPANCIES CORRECTED

To report (Federal and Private) Aids to Navigation Discrepancies, contact the nearest Coast Guard Group Office. The following listing is for the 24-hour watch stander that is available to take your call:

Coast Guard Group Upper Mississippi River (319) 524-7627 Extension 4
Coast Guard Group Lower Mississippi River (901) 544-3912 Extension 122
Coast Guard Group Ohio Valley 1-800-253-7465

FEDERAL AID DISCREPANCIES	LLNR	MILE	BANK	AID NAME	DISCREPANCY STATUS	LNMBNM
TENNESSEE RIVER	32445.00	99.7	L/B	SALES LIGHT	LT EXT	17-00/0272OV
UPPER MISS	15590.00	351.0	L/B	LIFERS LIGHT	DBN IMCH	17-00/0167UM

DISCREPANCIES AND DISCREPANCIES CORRECTED (Cont.)

FEDERAL AID DISCREPANCIES CORRECTED	LLNR	MILE	BANK	AID NAME	DISCREPANCY STATUS	LNM/BNM
LOWER MISS	10525.00	679.4	R/B	WALNUT BEND LIGHT	RELIGHTED	17-00/0287LM
OHIO RIVER	27910.00	863.5	R/B	SHAWNEETOWN BEND FOOT LIGHT	RELIGHTED	13-00/0192OV
	25220.00	328.7	R/B	IRONTON BEND LIGHT	WATCHING PROPERLY	14-00/0195OV
TEMPORARY CHANGES	LLNR	MILE	BANK	AID NAME	DISCREPANCY STATUS	LNM/BNM
NONE						
TEMPORARY CHANGES CORRECTED	LLNR	MILE	BANK	AID NAME	DISCREPANCY STATUS	LNM/BNM
NONE						
PRIVATE AID DISCREPANCIES	LLNR	MILE	BANK	AID NAME	DISCREPANCY STATUS	LNM/BNM
LOWER MISS	11595.00	405.1	L/B	PORT COMMISSION DOCK LIGHTS (2)	LT EXT	17-00/0278LM
PRIVATE AID DISCREPANCIES CORRECTED	LLNR	MILE	BANK	AID NAME	DISCREPANCY STATUS	LNM/BNM
OHIO RIVER	25580.00	405.1	L/B	MAYSVILLE MATERIALS COMPANY LIGHTS (2)	RELIGHTED	11-00/0116OV
	25215.00	327.8	L/B	CSX RAILROAD DOCK LIGHTS (2)	REBUILT/REMAINS	11-00/0127OV
UPPER MISS	16280.00	198.7	L/B	AMOCO DOCKS LIGHTS (4)	RELIGHTED	49-99/0248UM

ADVANCED NOTICE OF CHANGES IN AIDS TO NAVIGATION

Changes will be made between April 15 and May 15, 2000.

	LLNR	MILE	BANK	NAME	PROPOSED CHANGE
<u>ST. CROIX RIVER</u>	N/A	4.0	R/B	Green Buoy	Discontinue
	N/A	5.0	L/B	Red Buoy	Discontinue
	29882	5.0	R/B	Green Daybeacon	Establish (SG u/s and d/s)
	N/A	6.0	L/B	Red Buoy	Relocate south to better align traffic
	N/A	6.2	L/B	Red Buoy	Discontinue
	N/A	9.3	R/B	Green Buoy	Relocate to mark shoal
	N/A	11.5	R/B	Green Buoys	Upgrade 4 buoy hulls to foam
	29869	12.7	R/B	Green Daybeacon	Establish (SG u/s and d/s)
	N/A	15.5	R/B	Green Buoy	Relocate to mark shoal
	N/A	16.8	R/B	Green Buoy	Discontinue
	29868	16.8	R/B	Green Daybeacon	Establish (SG u/s and d/s)
	N/A	18.1	R/B	Green Buoy	Discontinue
	29867	18.3	R/B	Green Light	Establish (FL G 4s, SG u/s and d/s)
	29866	20.0	R/B	Green Daybeacon	Establish (SG u/s and d/s)
	N/A	20.2	R/B	Green Buoy	Discontinue
	N/A	20.7	R/B	Green Buoy	Discontinue
	N/A	21.4	R/B	Green Buoy	Discontinue
	N/A	22.2	R/B	Green Buoy	Discontinue
	N/A	22.7	L/B	Red Buoy	Establish

Changes will be made between April 3 and April 29, 2000.

	LLNR	MILE	BANK	NAME	PROPOSED CHANGE
<u>RED RIVER</u>	29703	20.4	L/B	Hog Pen Lake Upper Daybeacon	Establish (CR u/s and TR d/s)
	29705	19.9	L/B	Hog Pen Lake Daybeacon	Change u/s dayboard from CR to TR

GENERAL INFORMATION

ARKANSAS RIVER	MILE 125.4 TO 118.2 CHANNEL CONDITION	Conditions previously reported on the Arkansas River at Murray L/D no longer exist. (17-00)
GREEN RIVER	MILE 63.4 CALHOUN-RUMSEY BRIDGE	The bridge demolition that was set for April 26, 2000 has been postponed until May, 2000. (17-00/OB)
ILLINOIS RIVER	MILE 21.6 HARDIN DRAWBRIDGE	The bridge is rigged with scaffolding for a scheduled inspection. The draw span is operational and provides a vertical clearance of 74.8 feet above normal pool in the open-to-navigation position. The work boat GOAT is on site for safety precautions. Mariners are urged to contact the bridge radio on WZ08761 for more information. (17-00/OB)
LOWER MISSISSIPPI RIVER	MILE 529.0 SALVAGE OPERATIONS	Due to lightering and salvage operations of a grounded barge near Mile 529.0, mariners are urged to transit the area with extreme caution. The grain barge is presently resting on a rock dike on the left descending bank, approximately 1 mile below the Greenville Bridge, Mile 531.3. Mariners are urged to contact the Coast Guard Lower Mississippi River on VHF-FM Channel 16 for further information. (17-00/0288LM)
UPPER MISSISSIPPI RIVER	MILE 704.5 SHOALING	Shoaling has been reported approximately 25 feet off the nun buoy line near Mile 704.5. A towboat reportedly bumped bottom at this location with a 9 foot draft and L/D 6 Gauge reading 40.61 on April 24, 2000. Mariners are urged to transit the area with extreme caution. (17-00/0166UM)
MISSOURI RIVER	MILE 293.4 WAVERLY BRIDGE	Boring samples will be taken at proposed pier sites at the Waverly Bridge, Mile 293.4, along the left descending side of the navigational channel approximately 950 downstream. Work will be performed 24 hours a day, and will be completed by approximately May 3, 2000. The M/V LOLA P will be on site and can be reached on VHF-FM Channel 16. Mariners are urged to transit the area with extreme caution. (17-00/OB)
OHIO RIVER	MILE 70.9 CHANNEL CONDITION	It has been reported that a containment boom has been deployed in the vicinity of Mile 70.9, along the right descending bank. Mariners are urged to transit the area with slow speed and extreme caution. (17-00/0263OV)

OHIO RIVER (Cont.)	MILE 604.0 TO 597.0 REGATTA	A steamboat race will take place between Mile 597.0 to Mile 604.0 on May 3, 2000 from 5:00 p.m. until 9:00 p.m. The Coast Guard has issued a special local regulation for this event. No vessel will be allowed to transit between Mile 597.0 to Mile 604.0 without the permission of the Coast Guard on scene Patrol Commander. The on scene Patrol Commander may be reached on VHF-FM Channel 16 during the event. All river traffic is urged to stay clear of the area during the event. (17-00/MOULOUISVILLE)
	MILE 604.5 CHANNEL CONDITION	The Ohio River Valley Sanitation Commission is in the process of conducting a National Wet Weather Demonstration Study in the Greater Louisville, Kentucky area. In the process of this study the Commission will be placing a Hydrolab Multi Probe Data Sonde in the Ohio River within the restricted zone upstream of the McAlpine Locks and Dam, at approximate Mile 604.5 mid-stream, to the right of the green navigation buoy marking the Portland Canal, well outside of the navigation channel. The position will be marked by a yellow lighted buoy, FL Y 4s. The buoy will be in position various times during the months of June, July and August, 2000. Mariners are urged to use caution in this area. (17-00/PATON)
RED RIVER	MILE 60.5 TO 58.5 MONCLA BRIDGE	Until approximately May 16, 2000, demolition and removal operations will be conducted on the Moncla vertical lift span bridge, across the Red River/J Bennett Johnston Waterway. A safety zone will be established from Mile 58.5 to Mile 60.5, extending the full width of the Red River during demolition of the trusses. The bridge will remain in the closed to navigation position and vertical clearance will be restricted until the center span is demolished and removed on April 28, 2000. When the safety zones are in effect, a Captain of the Port (COTP) representative will be on the M/V SID and can be contacted on VHF-FM Channels 13 or 16. (17-00/D8OAN)
TENNESSEE RIVER	MILE 463.7 OLGIATI HIGHWAY BRIDGE	Construction work has started to widen the bridge deck. The contractor will monitor VHF-FM Channels 13 and 16 to provide approaching vessels updates of work over the channel. (16-00/OB)

CORRECTIONS TO LIGHT LIST, VOLUME V; MISSISSIPPI RIVER SYSTEM, 1998 EDITION.

(* Denotes the column in which a correction has been made or new information added.)

(1) No.	(2) Name and Location	(3) Mile	(4) Bank	(5) Characteristic	(6) Structure/Daymark		(7) Remarks	LNM
					Up	Down		
10495	BASKET BAR LIGHT	694.0	Right	FI W 4s	NG	SG		(17-00)
10505	ASHLEY POINT LIGHT	689.9	Right	FI G 4s	SG	NG		(17-00)
25755	LITTLE INDIAN BOAT CLUB LIGHT	449.0	Right	FI G 6s			Private aid. Seasonal. *	(17-00)
26007 *	VIRGINIA BENNETT LIGHT *	471.7 *	Left *	FI (2) R 5s *	TR *	TR *	*	(17-00)

ENCLOSURES

NONE